Friday 14th July 2023

Dear Families & Friends,

Well, what a busy and successful year we have enjoyed at Christ Church! Following our super OFSTED inspection, we were also visited by Local Authority moderators who have an external check of our teacher assessments. The feedback was exceptionally positive with moderators commenting on the professional discussions and that teachers spoke about pupils passionately and with confidence and knowledge.

Working together with you has produced some fabulous results which we are delighted to share with you. Our end of phase attainment is predicted to be *inline with or above National averages in every area of the school* — which is amazing! Children have worked so hard this year and staff have been committed to helping them to achieve their best.

We are thrilled that our Y6 leave us so well prepared for High School and thank all our families who have worked with us to support children in their achievements.

End of KS2 Test results	National Expected Standard 2023	Christ Church Expected Standard 2023	Christ Church Greater Depth 2023
English: reading	73%	76%	12%
English: Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling	72%	78%	24%
Writing	71%	76%	4%
Maths	73%	74%	18%
Science	80%	86%	
Combined RWM	59%	64%	

End of KS2 Swimming

88% pupils achieved the requirement to: Swim competently, confidently for at least 25m, using a range of strokes and performing safe self-rescue.

GLD	National 2022 data	Christ Church 2023
F2	65%	71%

End of KS1 results 2022	National Average % pupils working at expected standard 2022 – awaiting 2023 results	Christ Church % pupils working at expected standard 2023
English: reading	67%	68%
English: writing	57%	57%
Maths	68%	73%

Phonics	National	Christ	
	<mark>2022</mark>	Church 2023	
	<mark>data</mark>		
Y1	75.5%	87%	
Y2	95%	98%	

Leavers

We will be saying goodbye to our Year 6 pupils and their families in church next Wednesday morning followed by a whole school outdoor worship in the afternoon. They are a wonderful group of pupils and we wish them every future success and happiness in secondary school. I would like to especially thank our Head boys and girls for all the time and commitment they have given to our schoool this year – they have done a fabulous job and have gained in leadership experience.

Contact over the Summer break

The school is closed to pupils from Thursday 20th July until Tuesday 5th September; if you need to reach someone please email the school office email address, which will be checked weekly and any urgent matters responded to:

schooloffice@christchurch-moreton.wirral.sch.uk

Advance notice of changes

Change to the School Day Timings: The DFE have asked schools to ensure all pupils have the same school hours of 32.5 per week. This means that from September we will only have one end of day time and **all pupils will finish at 3.30pm.** We will send more details about where to collect children from before the start of term. We will also be offering a "Walking Bus" where school staff meet pupils in the Parish centre car park and walk them to and from school to reduce congestion in and around the school entrance and neighbouring roads.

Change to School Meal Charges: We have managed to maintain the cost of our school meals at £2 for the past ten years. However, with increased costs to all elements of meal provision we unfortunately need to increase our charges to be in line with other local schools and enable us to continue the current level of service. Infant pupils will continue to receive free lunches. Pupils from Years 3 – Year 6 will be charged £2.30 per meal payable on parent pay. We are sorry to have to impose the increase at such a difficult time for families, but we are losing money and school budgets just can't sustain the costs. If you would like to check if you are eligible for free lunches, please contact the school office who can do an online application with families.

Term Dates

All term dates to note are at the end of this letter for advance planning. Please remember that school cannot authorise term time holidays and the impact of the pandemic is no longer applicable as exceptional circumstances, so no holidays will be authorised. Please bear term dates in mind when you book!

Thank you for your ongoing support,

Mrs Amanda Donelan

Headteacher

Wednesday 20 th July	Year 6 leavers service 9.30am
	Whole school outdoor assembly (weather permitting) 2pm
	Year 6 Farewell 2.45pm
	School Closes for Summer
Tuesday 5 th September	School re-opens for Y1 – Y6 and Pre-School
Wednesday 6 th September	New F2 starters begin



Mrs Lynda Jones—Chair Mr Chris Henderson—Parent Governor Mr Steve Singleton—Foundation Gov. Mr Keith Culligan- Foundation Gov.

The school website is updated with details of our new curriculum and our live calendar for all school events www.christchurch-moreton.wirral.sch.uk

Mr David Bates —Parent Governor
Mr Ray Jeffrey — Associate Governor
Mrs Amanda Donelan—Head Teacher Governor
Mrs Belen Campbell—Staff Governor

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Christ Church Primary School, Moreton



Christ Church C of E Primary School Term Dates 2023 - 2024



Terms	Dates	Days Pupils / Teachers
Autumn Term Staff Development Day:	Monday 4th September 2023	34 days / 35 days
School Opens:	Tuesday 5 th September	
Half Term School Closes:	Friday 20 th October	
Re-opens:	Monday 30 th October	
School Closes for Christmas:	Thursday 21st December	39 days / 40 days
Staff Development Day:	Friday 22 nd December	
Spring Term		
School Opens:	Monday 8 th January 2024	
Half Term School Closes:	Friday 16 th February	30 days / 30 days
Re-opens:	Monday 26 th February	
School Closes for spring break:	Thursday 28 rd March 2024	24 days / 24 days
Summer Term School Opens:	Monday 15 th April 2024	
May Day Bank Holiday:	Monday 6 th May	29 days / 29 days
Half Term School Closes:	Friday 24 th May	
Staff Development Day	Monday 3 rd June	35 days / 37 days
Re-opens:	Tuesday 4 th June	
School Closes for Summer: Staff Development Day Staff Development Day	Friday 19 th July Monday 22 nd July Tuesday 23 rd July	405 days
Totals:	Pupils: 190 days / Teachers	: 195 days